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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )

Masahiro IWAMOTO et al. )

Application No.: 08/878,177 )

Filed: June 18, 1997 )

For: CELL CALCIFICATION )  
SUPPRESSING PROTEINS, AND )  
GENES OF THE PROTEINS )

Group Art Unit: 1633

Examiner: M. Wilson

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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TRANSMITTAL FORM

1. Transmitted herewith is a Response to Restriction Requirement dated October 26, 1998.

2. Additional papers enclosed:

- ☐ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- ☐ Drawings: ☐ Formal
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Form PTO-1449, ☐ references included
- ☐ Citations
- ☐ Declaration of Biological Deposit
- ☐ Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.

3. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) apply.

☒ Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

☐ Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>[fee for Small Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	380.00	190.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	870.00	435.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	1,360.00	680.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

☐ An extension for \_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

## 4. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims	19	minus	20	0	_ x \$18.00 each =	+ \$ 0.00
Independent Claims	10	minus	10	0	_ x \$78.00 each =	+ \$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)					\$ 260.00	+ \$ 0.00
SUBTOTAL						= \$ 0.00
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity						- \$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE						= \$ 0.00

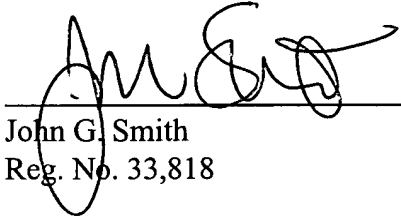
5. Fee Payment

- ☒ No fee is to be paid at this time.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension of time fee or additional fee for claims due to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees including fees due under 37 CFR § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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